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# UNITED STATES.

## MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HYGIENE.

[Adopted since July 1, 1911.]

### BELOIT, WIS.

#### PRIVIES AND CESSPOOLS—LOCATION, CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE.

SECTION 1. No privy vault or cesspool shall be constructed or maintained within the fire limits of the city of Beloit. All such privy vaults and cesspools are hereby condemned and ordered removed and connection made with the sewer within 60 days from the passage and publication of this ordinance.

SEC. 2. No privy vaults, cesspools, or reservoirs into which any privy, water-closet, stable, sink, or other receptacle or refuse or sewage is drained, shall be constructed or maintained in any situation or in any manner whereby, through leakage or overflow of its contents, to cause pollution of the soil near or about habitations, or of any well, spring, or other source of water used for drinking, or culinary purposes; nor shall overflow from any such reservoir or receptacle be permitted to discharge into any public place, and every such pit, reservoir, or receptacle shall be cleaned and the contents thereof removed at such times and under such precautions as the board of health may prescribe.

SEC. 3. All house sewers or drains for the conveyance of deleterious or offensive matter shall be water-tight, and the plans and methods of their construction shall be subject to the approval of the board of health. In streets or avenues where public sewers are, or shall be constructed, the board of health may order house connections made therewith and when so ordered, such connection must be made within 30 days.

SEC. 4. All privies to be built upon any property abutting upon a street where a sewer is laid shall be so constructed as to discharge their contents into such sewer, unless written authority to do otherwise be granted by the health officer. Any privy built contrary to the provisions of this section is hereby declared to be a nuisance.

SEC. 5. Violation of any of the sections of this ordinance, or refusal to comply with its terms, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than \$5 nor more than \$25 for each offense and to a like penalty for each day's violation or refusal to comply, after written notice from the health officer.

[Ordinance No. 116 adopted August, 1911.]

### GREENSBORO, N. C.

#### SEWER CONNECTIONS—CONSTRUCTION AND LOCATION OF PRIVIES.

SECTION 1. That section 127a of the printed ordinances of the city be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

SEC. 2. That whenever any line of sewer is laid along any street, avenue, or public alley in the city of Greensboro, and the same is ready for use, it shall be the duty of the commissioner of public safety to notify the owners or their agents, and the occupants of all houses, tenements, or other buildings situated on lots abutting upon, or accessible to the street, avenue, or public alley, along which said sewer is laid, to connect all closets, privies, sinks, bathtubs, lavatories, and urinals upon their respective lots with said sewer line, so that the contents of the same may be made to empty into such sewer, within 30 days after date of service of such notice.

SEC. 3. That all owners of improved real estate in the city of Greensboro, which shall be located upon, near, or accessible to any lines of sewer and water, maintained by said city, or abutting any street, avenue, public alley, or way, along which the city sewer and water lines are laid, shall connect with said sewer line all water-closets,